DEATHS OF THE WEEK

David Brown Myers and J. Andrew Bittinger, well Known Residents of Upper End of County, Died Tuesday Morning. Other Deaths.

David Brown Myers, one of Adams County's most prosperous and best known business men died at his home at Gardners Station at 8.30 Tuesday morning after an illness of several weeks. He was aged 62 years.

Mr Myers was a native of York County and spent the early years of his life in Hanover. In Conyngham County where he conducted a mill along the Yellow Breeches creek. At one time with a relative he conducted Penn's Mill, now known as Knoxlyn, in Highland township but returned to York afterward.

The greater portion of his life, however, was spent at Gardners where he conducted a warehouse with the coal business. In this he was very successful, building up a profitable business and making a comfortable fortune during his life which he started as a poor boy. He was widely and favorably known in the upper end of the county. He was one of the founders of the Citizens' Bank of Gettysburg, and the Citizens' Trust Company, and has been a director in that institution ever since its founding. He was a member of the Church of the Brethren.

He is survived by his wife who, before her marriage, was Miss Rebecca, of near Mount Holly Springs, and six living. Mrs William Colliert, of Harrisburg; Mrs. Oliver Peters, of Aspers; Mrs Isaac Sadler, of near Hilltown; Miss Edith Myers, at home; Grover C. Myers, of Gardners. Several brothers and sisters also survive.

Funeral Saturday with interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Gettysburg.

ANDREW J. BITTINGER

Andrew J. Bittinger, a well known and highly respected citizen of Arendtsville died at his home at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning from a complication of diseases after a long period of suffering.

Mr. Bittinger was a retired farmer, a great portion of his life having been spent on his farm in Mt. Pleasant township where he also conducted a saw mill. He was a member of the Lutheran church at Arendtsville

Surviving are his wife and four children, Mrs. Thomas McCauley of Hanover, Mrs Edward Bittinger, of Menallen township, and Misses Ella and Carrie at home.

Funeral at two o'clock Thursday afternoon from his late residence conducted by the Rev. H. T. Spangler. Interment in Greenmount cemetery, Arendtsville.

WILLIAM R. ALLISON

Willis-a Reed Allison died suddenly at half past one o'clock on Tuesday evening at his home on railroad street. He was aged 61 years and 4 months.

Mr. Allison and been up town during the evening and when he came home went out to the barn. He fell over there and Mrs Allison and Miss Vannet carried him into the house. He died there soon afterward.

Mr. Allison was born near Green mantle on October 31st 1849 and had been living here for many years. His mother, Mrs. Susan M. Allison, survives, as also two brothers, Jacob Allison of this borough and Mr. Charles Stevens of Mt. Joy. Four sisters and one brother also survive, Mrs. E. H. Bushey, of Harrisburg; Miss Adelaide Allison, Miss Maud Allison, Mrs. Edward Vannet, of York street, and Herbert P. Allison, of Baltimore street.

Funeral at two o'clock Friday afternoon from the house.

MARGARET READY

"For the third time in less than two weeks death visited the household of Oliedo H. Kegg, living along the Carlisle road, near Gettysburg, when his infant daughter, Margaret, a child aged two years, died on Saturday morning at 2.30 o'clock. The little girl had been ill for several weeks with a complication of diseases.

The mother died February 1st, and an infant child born to them on the day following. The oldest child, Catharine, aged nearly five years, had been ill and the father, who is confined to bed, is ill.

Funeral Mon. morning at 9 o'clock, Services at the house and interment in York Road cemetery, Rev. Daniel Stump, officiating.

MRS. ROMINE BOYER

Mrs. Mamie Boyer died Tuesday morning at 11.30 at her home in East Berlin, aged 37 years, 11 months and 10 days.

She is survived by her husband, four daughters and three sons, Mrs. Jacob Altland, of Reading township; Mrs Jacob Grim, near Hanover, Charles M. of Reading twp., Melvin, Lillie, and Merrbie at home. She is also survived by two sisters and one brother, Mrs Lizzie Bream, near Mt. Wolf, Mrs Catharine Hetrogh, all of Harmony Grove, York county.

Funeral on Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the house. Interment in the East Berlin cemetery. Rev. A. C. Forsht officiating.

MRS. ELIZEE CASHMAN

Mrs. Mc Cashman died at her home in Brandeville Tuesday morning at 11.30 of pneumonia after two days illness. She was aged 72 years, 9 months and 19 days.

She leaves four children, Dr. E. J. Cashman, York Springs; Samuel Taylor, of Harrisburg; Charles Cashman, Harrisburg; Harry Cashman, of Brandeville. She also leaves a brother and sister, Shilwich Hartman, of Brandeville, and Mrs. Jacob Cress, of Nebraska. Eleven grandchildren also survive.

Funeral Friday at 10:30 a. m. from the residence. Rev. Fred Graeller, of York Springs. Interment at Brandeville.

MRS. MARGARET A. RICE

Mrs. Margaret Ann Rice died at 8:45 o'clock this morning at the home of her son, E. N. Hartman, in Benders ville, aged 78 years, 6 months and 7 days.

Surv-ving are the following children: Mrs. Oscar Hartman, Bendersville; Mrs. George W. Hartman, Bendersville; Mrs. Scott Weybright Rice, Biglerville; Calvin Rice, of Near Aspers and E. N. Hartman.

Funeral Friday morning at 10 o'clock from the home of E. N. Hartman. Bendersville. Interment in Bendersville cemetery. Rev. C. E. Floto, officiating.

MARION BEAMER

J. Hamon Beamer, until three years ago a resident of near Golden's, died at the home of relatives in Hanover today in his 61st year.

He is survived by children serving all living at home. Geo. steer and Mrs. Annie Hollinger, Mrs. Ida Gingrich, Hilton, Mrs. Mary Stents, York, services with the house Sunday at 2 o'clock conducted by George Baker, Abbottstown; D. Elmer and Wilbur, of Hanover, Frank Stanchfield, and Edward and Fred Beamer.

Funeral Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the house with further services and interment at the Harmon church Rev. I. C. Young officiating.

SAMUEL LITTLE

Samuel Little a veteran of the Civil War, died at his home in Littlestown at 9 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Hilterbrick, on Monday morning. Mr. Little aged about 70 years and 10 days.

Two sons and two daughters survive, Robert Little, of Hanover; William Little, of Littlestown; Mrs. Charles Rittinger and Mrs. William McClean, of Littlestown. Two brothers and one sister also survives, Alexander Little and Charles Little, of Littlestown and Mrs. Rachel Longsdorf, of Shippensburg.

MRS. JOHN HOFFMAN

Mrs John Hoffman died at her home in Littlestown on Monday morning following about 1.50. Death was due to heart trouble. She was aged 0 years 1 month, and 17 days.

She is survived by her husband and six children, Luther, Clarence, Edgar, Joseph, Jessie, Estelle all of town.

Funeral services Monday morning at nine o'clock in St. Francis Xavier church, Littlestown. Interment in cemetery.

JOSEPH BOWSER

Joseph Wilson died at his home in Hanaiale Friday night.

He was 78 years of age, and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Daniel Stump, of Hanaiale.

TWO CENT RATE STILL IN FORCE

Western Maryland Takes Head of Attorney for Frank Shultz Asks his Warning at County Commissioners Freedom on Ground that he was are Attorney and Instructs Agents Arrested Contrary to State to Sell Tickets at Old Rates. County Laws.

The Western Maryland still sells tickets at the old two cent rate, their agents in the six neighboring counties having received notice to that effect on Wednesday afternoon. Up to this time J. L. Williams, Esq. who notified the railroad that an attempt to increase the rate would be met with prompt legal action, had received no official notification of the company's decision in the matter.

The schedule of one rates was in the hands of the railroad's ticket agents several weeks ago with instructions to make them effective Thursday, February 16. The notice ordering them to continue selling at the two cent rate was received only a few hours ago, and did not come until late on Wednesday and gave no reason for the change in policy.

The reason was still remain in force until further notice which, it is believed by those who have opposed the advance, means until the Western Maryland has proved to the State Railroad Commission that they cannot profitably operate their passenger traffic at two cents.

PRETTY HOME TOWN WEDDING

On Wednesday, a pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr and Mrs. H. C. Spangler, on Baltimore street, when their daughter, Miss Mary Della Spangler was married to Mr. James D. Wilson, of Altoona.

The ceremony which was in the charge of a small number of friends and relatives was performed by the Rev. H. W. Kelly, pastor of the Presbyterian church, the ring service being used. The bride-s home was prettily decorated for the potted plants.

The Lehengrin wedding march was played by Miss Ruth Hamilton of this place, and the bride wore a white silk over white crevasse. The best man was David Thomson, of Derrytown, Pa. Mr. Wilson, who is a railroad engineer, has been employed for some time past on the Altoona division.

After a few days visit in Gettysburg with relatives and friends Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will leave for their home in Altoona where they will live.

Among the guests present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Spangler, of New York and Philadelphia. They will return to the latter place for a brief visit before going to Altoona.

KLINEDINST-SLAYBAUGH

At the Lutheran parsonage in New Chester, Feb 11, Rev. E. E Dietterick united in marriage Miss Grace E. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klinedinst, of near Hampton, and Mr. Harry Slaybaugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Slaybaugh, of Hampton.

REV. DR FREAS DEAD

The Rev. William S. Freas, D. D. president of the Church Extension Board of the Methodist General Conference and professor in the Lutheran Deaconess Motherhouse, Washington, D. C., graduate of Gettysburg College in the class of 1870, died at his home there on Tuesday morning. He was born in Adams county, Pa., and was raised by tenderness of the heart after a sickness of only one week.

JOHN TOBOR

John Tobor, of York Springs, died Sunday, February 19th, at one o'clock in the afternoon aged about 70 years. Brothers, Frank and William Tobor, Hanaiale, survive.

Funeral at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Services at the Lutheran and Friend's Burying Ground. Latimore township.

CLAIM ARREST WAS ILLEGAL

Arrested Contrary to State County Laws.

Frank Shultz was held for Court by Squire Hill on Thursday on charges preferred by a grand jury and had his jury though Mr. Shultz's attorney, William Brash, Esq., plead for his release on the ground that his re arrest was in violation of the laws governing his attitude of a state towards a prisoner kept from another state on another charge.

The charges bringing Isenglass, on which Shultz was brought from Cumberland, Maryland, was old grossed on Tuesday and Mr. Shultz arrested and cited the authority to prove his contention that there had been no legal right for his re arrest on other charges while he was held as a witness in the case against Mr. Marsh in his connection had preferred that the Court should rule on the matter. The Court decided against the plea and held the case for the Commonwealth.

The charges brought against Shultz were made by John Sabor, of Franklin township, in the sum of $1,000 each and the alleged offenses occurred in November 1908. Mr Saylor charged that he was arrested on the night of November Shultz came into a room of the house occupied by Mr. Saylor and his first blow taking effect on the side of Mr. Saylor's head, following the blow, according to his testimony, and the latter's daughter blow which rendered him unconscious. This was followed by a kick in the face which tore the base of the brain. Mr. Saylor testified.

According to the testimony offered Mr. Saylor remained unconscious until about 7 o'clock the next morning and when he awoke home of the family had left the house and he was compelled to his wounds in the best way he could. He was able to eat any thing for several days and had no medical attention. The extent of his injuries as examination is as if he could find no evidence of any broken bones but that he could see nothing of them.

The defense claimed that the blows were alleged to have been dealt was made in self defense and that Mr. Saylor is twice long and as "thick as a man's head" is. The next morning, said Mr. Saylor, blood and bruises on his face.

On November the fifteenth, about two weeks after the alleged assault he drove said to Saylor "Get out or I'll shoot you" and drew a revolver, Saylor left, information was laid before Squire Hill.

Ottie Shultz was called as a witness and testified that he heard Saylor discuss the incidents out of which the cases have resulted in the arrest of Frank Shultz and Saylor. He told of what the prosecution considered were the contradictions in the tale Frank Shultz. The witness said Sabe had been drinking and that he had whiskey and pins had been inserted, with the heads broken off, in the bottle from which some visitors. He also said that the fight starting in the house, in the cellar, also intimated as significant. The witness was excused from the prosecution of the evidence.

Ralph Shultz was called and testified to having gone to Saylor's home on the night of the assault, helping to wash the wounds on his head.

John Shultz told of having seen Saylor on the day after the assault.

Constables Wilson and Shuler gave testimony, both to efforts made to arrest or find the defendant, which were unsuccessful for a long time, to show that Shultz had been a fugitive from justice and to the fact that although that the constables had not made a proper search for him.

At the conclusion of the hearing Mr. Hersh and Mr. Mealy presented arguments, the former contending that on the legality of the serving of the writ the constables had no right to enter battery and pointing a gun, and Saylor Hill rules as above mentioned, thereby being again remanded to the custody of Sheriff Fissel.

WATER STOCK SOLD

The thirty shares of Gettysburg Water Company stock recently offered for sale in yesterday's Times have been sold, the entire lot of 30 shares having been sold. This is $45 per share. The purchasers were Prof. Cattley, Hamilton

GETTYSBURG IN BIG ROADS PLAN

Gettysburg would be Connected with York, Harrisburg, Carlisle, Chambersburg and Many County Towns by Provisions of New Bill.

The much talked of and eagerly awaited Sproul highway bills have made their appearance and include in the comprehensive state wide improvement of highways a number of Adams County roads. The purpose and plan with the principal provisions of the measures were outlined on page two of yesterday's Times.

The following roads through Adams County all known as State highways are mentioned in the bills as among those to be made state highways and until they be so under state supervision:

Gettysburg to York by way of New Oxford, Abbottstown and Farmers.

Carlisle to Gettysburg by way of Mt. Holly Springs, Homer Mills, Aspers, Bendersville, Biglerville and Goldenville.

Gettysburg to Chambersburg by way of McKnightstown Cashtown and Fayetteville.

Harrisburg to Gettysburg by way of Dillsburg, Hunterstown, Jefferson, Dillsburg. Clearspring, York Springs, Heidlersburg.

It will be seen that by these plans Gettysburg would be connected by highways with Harrisburg, York Chambersburg and Carlisle which it will be seen, would be a great benefit with a large number of the principal towns of the county.

Toll roads inclosted are to be put aboard and made a part of the bile system.

IMPROVED FARM ASSOCIATION

At the February meeting of the Improved Farm Association the election resolutions were adopted favoring the appropriation to the Pennsylvania State College. The part of the resolutions reads that "we present ourselves to the state in that for the appropriation of $1,000,000 for new buildings for that department-and not to exceed $100,000 per annum for the next decade the extension of instruction and experiment work."

Resolutions were also adopted favoring the new school code and the present Sproul road bills.

The report of the county apple crop for the past season is now being completed and will be ready for publication within a short while showing the quantity of fruit shipped from Adams county in 1910.

The next meeting of the Fruit Growers Association will be held at their ballon March 11.

HONEY TAKES FROM WALL

For a number of years a swarm of honey bees have made their home in a wall back of the pulpit in the Andersonstown church and each Sunday during the summer since frequently escaped from the church and swarmed about, lately while the organ was being played. Recently the bees have completed to get rid of the bees from another summer began, and removed the honey, the partition which separated to find more than fifty pounds of honey which was divided among the members.

UP AMAINST CHAMPION

In an interesting post match played Thursday evening in York, Fred A. Stewart, the Michigan champion, and holder of the world's title, defeated Edgar "Sydney" Klaus, of Mottsville, Pa., champion of the state. The two players received applause for clever work and many goals. The game was featured by several high runs,one of forty-four by Stewart, one of forty-two and twenty by the Michigan wonder. The score was 500 to 400. Stewart at first landed to him 4 to York by any pool expert.

ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The Adams County Agricultural Association will hold a monthly meeting at Biglerville Saturday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Topics to be discussed are, "Fertilizer, Home Mixing and Home Made." The paper on that Many Farmers Make" is what to do with the manure pile" and "Has the greatest chance of success for a farmer to follow?" Every farmer also should bank the Trader rather than the Profession."

GETTYSBURG RURAL NOTES

Much Visiting on the Rural Routes Starting from Gettysburg. What those Living along the Rural Routes are Doing.

Roy H. Myers, of Hanover, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr.and Mrs. A. N. Myers, of route 5. Mr.and Mrs. Walter Moore,of McKnightstown,were also Sunday visitors at the Myers home.

The following spent Sunday at the home of John H. Weaver, route 9, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Adams Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gulbert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. Jessie and Pearl, and Mrs. Harvey Stallings, all of Gettysburg, and Mrs. Ellen Weaver, of Hanover, of route 12

Miss Carrie L. Topper, of route 6, has two flocks of young chickens over two months old which she has kept in winter weather. They are twenty and twenty-five in number respectively.

Hunter Clyde W. Topper, of route 6, has made a record with his dog in the catch of rabbits and grip is improving.

Miss Gwen Colon who visited at Mannasburg and McKnightstown during the holidays has returned to her home at Mt. Holly Springs.

A. J. Gulbs and daughter, Miss Rose, have been ill with the grip.

Benton Pitzer with and children spent Wednesday with A. J. Gulbs of route 9.

Mrs Conrad Walter, of McKnightstown, who has been ill with the grip is much better.

A. J. Gulbs of route 6.

SMITH—BROCKUS

Roy Smith, of Chambersburg, and Miss Emma L., daughter of Mr and Mrs. James Brockus, of Gettysburg, were married in the latter city on Wednesday evening. Lewis Hartman, pastor of Trinity Lutheran School, acted as best man while the following friends were present: Mrs. Frederick Muhlenberg, Robert L. Brockus, Miss Helen Wright and others. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride was attired in a gown of ivory silk over which was draped white chiffon and edged with white embroidery, the yoke and sleeves being composed of duchess point lace. The bouquets were a very becoming shade of pink carnations. The bride will tone marchants, and carried an attractive bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

After a number of pink carnations trimmed with crystal trimming, and lilies of the valley. The bride's maid was Miss Brockus.

Mr. Smith is a graduate of Gettysburg college. For a time after graduation he was engaged in business in Brazil, but had to give up the work on account of his health. For the past month the State Highway Department.

FILED PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy has been filed by Samuel Lewis Deal, of Hanover, in the United States District Court at Harrisburg. Deal is a dealer in cattle and his debts include liabilities are: Direct $18,700.91 Contingent $1,000; and the scheduled assets $58,575. The case has been referred to the Referee Goodhart of York, referee in bankruptcy.

FOUR YEAR TERM

Dr. James A. Dale, of York, member of the State Board of Examiners at Harrisburg, has introduced a bill providing for a four year term of the state hall office four years.

TO VISIT LITTLESTOWN

The Littlestown Baltimore "good roads" train will visit Littlestown on Tuesday, February 28th.

SALE REPORT

Cattle at J. T. Hartzell's sale on Wednesday sold from $36.00 to $58.00, 10 pr.of mules brought $445.00, 2 cows

GOOD WORK IS ALREADY SHOWN

Principal of Town Schools Says that Good Work of Parent Teachers' Association is already shows Monthly Meeting

That the Parent Teachers' Association organized within the past few months is already doing much to better the local schools was indicated at the Friday evening's meeting when Prof. Burgess stated that on account of the ways the schools had improved since the formation of the organization.

"The scholars are doing more work at home since the beginning of the year", he said, "and are getting more of it this year than they did last. Another encouraging feature is the fact that teachers are no longer confronted with the refusal of parents to give written excuses stating the reason for the absence of their children from school."

Another indication of the good work being done was the report of the visiting committee who told of two children, who stayed away from school for various reasons being returned through the aid of the Association. It was generally agreed that the association could not help but advance materially conditions in the Gettysburg schools and the hearty cooperation in it was do we by the addition of a large number of new names to the roll.

Prof. Calvin Hamilton reported on the playgrounds committee that an effort had been made to have the equipment needed but that was in force that the ground should be secured first and the equipment secured as the most solve itself.

The entertainment part of the program consisted of a solo by Rex Gilbert, a reading by Miss Mary Musser, a song by scholars of the fourth. fifth and sixth grades, a German exercise by pupils of the High school, a solo by Ralph Bair and a duet sung by Mrs. Roy E. Kinn. Special music is directed by the supervisor who took part in the German school scene, the conversation being carried on fluently in German and indicating that valuable work being done in the branch of the High School studies.

Two addresses were made during the evening, one by Dr. C. Alvin Hauser who told of ways in which the home can help the school and the other by Intendent Lose of the Williamsport schools who told of the difficulties with similar organizations in his city, also saying that they had been of inestimable value.

MARY WEDDINGS

Cupid has been busy in the county the past week and a number of well known persons were united.

BLUBBER—DAY. On Sunday Rev. P. W. Grosse, of Idaville, married James F. Blubber and Miss Ida M. Day, both of Huntington township.

M. Shiver—s a son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Shiver, and the bride is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Day.

STRASBAUGH—LEASE. Rev. Peter E. Strasbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strasbaugh, of Oxford township, and Miss Grace Lease, daughter of William Lease, of New Oxford, were married on New Oxford on Saturday by Rev. John A. Morris.

EYSTER—WHITE. Rev L. B Hershey married on Saturday last George S. Eyster, son of Mr. and Mrs B. W. Eyster, of Germany, to Miss Joanna R White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White, of Latimore township.

SHEELLMAN—HOFFMAN George L. Shellman, son of Mr. and Mrs George W. Shellman, of Hunterstown, was married last Wednesday by the Rev. Elmer Hoffman, of Littlestown.

HOCKENSMITH—SHABAUGH. At Conewago Chapel on last Tuesday, Rev. Fr. Gerhardinger married Cletus Hockensmith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hockensmith, of Conewago, and Miss Mary J. Strasbaugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strasbaugh of Oxford township.

REYNOLDS—GLAZIER. Thomas Reynolds, of Baltimore, and Miss Lucille R. Glazier, of Philadelphia, were married last Thursday by the Rev. William B. Hooper, of Sonnury Ridge.

ACCEPTS CALL

The Rev. Robert D. Clare on Sunday resigned as pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, York. The resignation is to take effect in March.

Rev. Mr. Clare will succeed the Rev. Dr. William H. Dunbar, who after a 50 year pastorate in the First Presbyterian church of Allentown. The First church is the leading church of the denomination in the eastern section of the strongest in the western section of the state.

MUST HAVE HALL GAS FROM STOVE FOR CONVENTION CAUSES TROUBLE

State Grange Wants to Come to Gettysburg, Local Officer Says, but Must Have Hall with 1500 Capacity.

A convention with 1000 delegates requiring a hall with a seating capacity of only that many is the proposition for the asking are calling to statements made to The Now by a local member of the State Grange. Brief inquiry was made elsewhere of the fact that there was only one hall in the town on operation on the part of Gettysburg citizens, and that is the Eagle Fire secretary of Pomona Grange of Adams county said.

There will be no trouble whatever in getting the state meeting here in 1912. For several years the members on the state executive board have been talking about wanting to come here and so strong is the sentiment for Gettysburg that no invitation is all that is necessary to get the big meeting.

The only difficulty that we see in this because it is necessary to get your convention hall under cover some time quite early and late names have been given for the meeting and the meeting requires a hall with a capacity of 1200 and it is for this that we want help from Gettysburg people. The meeting will be held in December and last from Tuesday morning until Friday.

Mr. Myers did not indicate in what way a hall could be secured but seemed to feel that there would be no insurmountable difficulties in the way.

The selection of the meeting place in 1911 will be made at the annual meeting in the same month of this year. Gettysburg will be in the running for towns wishing the convention to go to their applications some time this week.

This new project emphasizes again the need of a large well equipped convention hall for the town.

FIGHTS FOR ETESHUT

Frank Kichline, who was injured in the Shamokin explosion on the trolley extension near Pen Mar, some time ago, is reported to be resting easily in the Chambersburg Hospital. It was thought at first that one of his arms was amputated, but that was not the case, but the muscles of the arm were injured.

Probably the most severe injury was to Mr. Nichols' eye. He is still in pain to discomfort, but the doctors say it is not yet known if the sight will be permanently destroyed. The physicians have not given up hope that the sight may be regained and heavy applications of cocaine are used in the eyes. It is probable that Mr. Nichols will be confined to the house to be saved to his home in another month.

PRIMARY MAY BE CHANGED

There is much speculation among politicians in Adams county over the proposition to change the date of holding legislators in session at Harrisburg to confer with the governor and cabinet officers authorized to be made by the governor, during recesses.

Aspirants for the nominations to be made by the next republican primaries are at sea because there are rumors that the primaries will be changed from the fall Saturday June 2 may be changed to early fall and the probability is that the primaries in the counties in county and city offices being extended to 1912.

MAY RESIGN

It is rumored that President Roosevelt, of Dickinson college, is to resign and that he will become one of the trustees of Gettysburg college. He retires either to affirm or deny the rumor. Dr. Roosevelt has been president of Dickinson College for twenty three years during which time the institution has taken rapid strides forward.

IMPROVING HOTEL

Frank Eberhart is making extensive improvements to the Eagle Hotel. Fifteen additional bath rooms are being installed and the entire ground floor is being remodeled for rooms with bath. A large open porch is being added, repaired and recreplast and the whole will present appearance of the up-to-date hotel.

FIRST LECTURE

A fair sized audience enjoyed the interesting lecture on "Benjamin Franklin" by Rev. Dr. Hamilton in Christ Chapel on Monday evening. From the impression made by the first of the series it is probable that the interest will grow in the course as it proceeds.

EXPERTS TO MEET

Sydney Gamble, Gettysburg's town pool expert, has been matched to play a series of games with the champion Fred Stewart, of Detroit, Mich., champion pool expert of Michigan.

GAS FROM STOVE CAUSES TROUBLE

Home Mrs. Edward Myers Is Being Scene of an Asphyxiation when Steve Gas Filled Room.

The timely awakening of her little daughter saved Mrs. Elsie Myers and the child, of Liberty street, from death by asphyxiation in the early hours this morning. Dr. H. M. Bittinger was summoned and literally found the intended march of the gas they suffer from the effects of the vapor, however, soon.

The bedroom of Mrs. Myers is heated by a pipe from the kitchen range and when a shaker was removed from the damper on this pipe. About seven o'clock the opening the little the daughter got awake sick from the gas fumes, ran to awaken her mother and called to her mother Mrs. Myers did not get awake and she child managed to get down fairly screamed.

As soon as she became thoroughly awake Mrs. Myers felt very sick and dizzy and it was with difficulty that she reached the window and got some of the pure fresh air. Mrs. E. H. Myers, mother of Mrs. Myers, upon realizing that something was wrong went to the house.

The mother and child were soon got on to another room and Dr. Hartman summoned. They are both resting comfortably this morning.

SURPRISE PARTY

A very enjoyable surprise party was held in honor of Mrs Mary E. King last evening at the home of Mrs. Sarah King. Those present were. Clara Bloh, Mrs. Sarah King, Mrs. Mary Arther, Rosael Markel, Scheers Baker, Mrs. Annie Baker, Mrs. Catherine Markel, Mrs. Chronister, Mrs. Emily Mrs. Paul, Charlie Bream, Mrs. Mary Chronister, Mary Daniels, Frank Phillips, Rayme and Phillips, Mrs. Mary Bream, Mrs. Mary Hartman, Katie Decker, Clara Decker, Martha Sharrer, Mrs. Sarah and Mary, Margie Sharry, Charles Decker Mrs. Mary Decker, Mrs. Catherine Erb, J. W. Sharry, William Bartlow, Mrs. Catherine Bream, Mrs. Mary Barnhart, Mary Elizabeth, Lewis Paul, Mrs. Mary Paul, Mrs. Mary Chronister, Oscar Guise, Helen Decker, Ben Decker, Mrs. Mary Decker, Catherine Critz Livingston Jacob Croos, Luther Hockley, Mrs. Mary Chronister Clewister, Jessie Marks, Anne Sharry, Mrs. Catherine Sharry, Mrs. Catherine Steward Kennedy, Charles Pratt, Albert Deeds, Mattie Eichler, Mrs. Mary Chronister, Ollie Bream, Curtis Sharry, Joseph, John Mefarlen, Nora Eisler, John Deeds, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Alfert, Clara L. Sharry.

COURT NEWS

The following petitions have been transacted in Adams County Court.

Petition of Highway Commissioners from the road leading from Gettysburg to Hanover to the road leading from Bonaby to the Table road leading from Bonaby to the Trout road confirmed nisi. Road to be 16 feet in width of 33 feet.

Return of sale in the estate of Sarah Swope, late of Mt. Joy, to Jacob Gutselmer, administrator confirmed nisi, to be absolute unless cause by Feb. 21, 1911 unless exceptions are filed before.

H. H. Hoechst discharged as administrator of the D. H. Hoechst, deceased late of East Berlin.

Inventory and appraisement of the property comprising the estate of Jacob Hoover, deceased late of East Berlin. Filed upon which exceptions are filed within twenty days.

TAKEN TO MOUNT HOPE

J. B. Kuhn, of McSherrystown, on Saturday last, by the Independent Fraternal Mutual Benefit Association, of which organization Mr. Kuhn was taken to that institution for treatment. Mr. Kuhn was taken to that institution for treatment. Mr. Kuhn was taken to that institution by Deputy Sheriff Charges of Dr. A. C. Hites, of McSherrystown, accompanied by Dr. Hites, Coffey, of that place and Wm. P. Dorner, of Hanover. Mr. Kuhn was taken to the latter's automobile. They left Hanover at noon today and returned at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Kuhn was in high spirits when taken to the institution, which is due to over work.

PEN AND SWORD MEETING

The annual meeting of the Pen and Sword Society was held in Christ Chapel on Monday afternoon when a number of new members were taken into the organization. Dr. Granville made the principal address, as he now member not from the student body, Prof. Stallknecht, Rev. Dr. Hamilton and Rev. Grosse of interest. Music was furnished by the Glee Club. Refreshments in the evening the members held a banquet in the Eckle Tea Room and Dorsey House. A number of out of town alumni were here for the meeting.

MANURING THE GARDEN.

Work That Can Be Done in Winter to Make It Productive.

Celeriac, onions and other crops require rich soil to produce them in their best quality. Cabbages and kohl rabi, however, are not particular as to soil, but they must have a rich one to produce large crops. Cauliflowers and broccoli are also very fond of rich soil, and should be put in large quantities on the plot where there is plenty of manure, cabbage or celery. Do not measure the potato crop by the bushel.

Asters are good for the cutting bed, as they are very attractive. If properly used, possibly being better for the purpose than the chrysanthemum, as each plant requires large amounts of potash and phosphoric acid. Experience has been found it said that bananas do not like fresh manure, but do well when this tree. Well rotted cow manure is generally used for the banana, although worm soil, as the tomato, eggplant, pepper and okra. Sweet potatoes do well in a sandy soil, and do not require any other vegetables. Lime bean will stand considerable manuring.

Sickle and farm manure is better for the spinach than anything for fall-ther, because it brings out a better and more vigorous condition of the soil, so doing it to stand both drought and excessive wet much better when it contains leaved vegetables. In case of the latter it is better to have the manure rotted straw, which contains but little nitrogen. The best time to manure the soil is before the ground is frozen, as the soil is then in a condition to receive the manure at single furrow, shed plant, and the manure is then turned under. Manure should be applied at the rate of 20 loads to the acre. Lime should not be applied with manure, but at different times, as the two materials lose each other's value.

To break the garden in the fall and apply manure in the winter, harrow it in the spring and plant as soon as the spring. The plot where late cabbages are to be set should be manured in the manured heavily and replowed late in the spring. This is the best method to follow.

Every one should compost every available bit of manure they can get even in the garden, and mix this there with the soil, which will assist the plant that will rot and become fertilizer. Lime should be applied to the soil in the same spring. The pile will be found to be a great help in keeping the worms away.

There is a place for commercial fertilizer, too, though I use it spuriously. The best results I have had are from the strawberry bed at blooming time when the flower borders in both yield, quality and color.

If your neighbor's crops are better than your own don't be too proud to borrow a fertilizer. Find out why if possible. Then strive to raise better crops.

As Effective Farm Gas.

Cut a disk from an old disk plow and drive a tool through it into the top of a post as shown in the illustration. Then bore a small hole through the handle of a hammer and drive a tack or screw-eye into the post, which keeps the hammer upright. This gives a convenient place to put the hammer when not in use. Tacks are the most handy parts of the hardware store, the monitor can win when the spot is struck, and the damage is, says Progressive Farmer.

Keeping Cabbage Is Fall.

A good way to keep cabbage is to dig a trench deep enough to bury the heads for the cold, and cover with straw.

The Hum of the Hive.

Economy is the use of foundation is wasteful, and it is a poor practice to use full sheets of foundation in the section boxes, for it is unnecessary. Only a bit of starter of foundation in each section box means a saving of from one to two cents per box, but also the building of straight sections.

By selection and restriction in the breeding pens we can produce birds that have just as we can other stock, and by the use of trapnests in every spring some choice green fur ahead of the rest. Trapnesting is the only way to get best quarters for requesting.

Don't feed whatever you may want to give them the proper care and attention. Don't feed the chickens by guess work. Don't feed anything that will sour in the crop. Don't feed sloppy mashes, bulky meals, or anything that will not be eaten up clean.

The present improved system of management assumes that hives should not be moved after the honey flow begins, and no one ever does. Therefore, they should be placed where they will remain permanently.

Be sure that your hens have a good, dry, warm place to roost and the rats will not bother them.

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Public Sale

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1911

The undersigned intending to quit farming will sell at public sale, on the premises in Cumberland township, Adams county, Pa., 6 miles south of Gettysburg, 2 miles north of Fairfield, on the following personal property:

Horses—1 pair of dark work wheelers; 1 other horse; 1 good reliable worker and a stylish driver; 1 mare.

Cows—Red cow, fresh; something of good milk cows, fresh by day of sale; 2 heifers, 2 years old; 1 heifer, 1 year; cows, 4 fine heifers, 6 bulls large enough for service.

Nineteen Head of Hogs, 5 sows, 3 will be fresh by day of sale; other 2 later on, 14 shoats.

Farming Implements, consisting of 2-horse wagon, 2-inch tread, good as new; 2-horse wagon, 1½ inch tread, good wagon and bed, 2 hay carriages, 2 sets of harness, 1 set of single harness, 1 set of buggy harness, 6½ ft. cut set of mill carriages, Deering binder, 7 ft. cut; 7 ft. Deering & Hoosegold grain drill, Hench & Dromgold grain drill, 7 ft. cut; Deering mower, 5 ft. cut; Deering hay tedder, Deering rake; 2 Spangler, Reliable chopping mills; 2 Oliver Chilled plows, No. 40; hay plows, No. 20, 2 planters, a lever corn planter, Keystone corn planter, 2 harrows, double land roller, single land roller, single shovel plow, 2 sets of bob sleds, 1 set of 2-horse bob sleds, 1 set of 1-horse bob sleds, 1 double shovel plows, corn field, corn sweeper, 2 stalk cutters, plows, rake, hay knife, hay ladder, Acmetitic manure spreader, 2 corn workers, 2 corn coverers, 2 corn workers, grain cradle, scythe, snaths, 2 sets of fifth chains, 2 sets of breast chains, 2 sets of stretchers, cross cut saw, ring, ratchet, rod set, single, 2-horse tackle, 2 sets of wagon ladders, 2 sets of wagon boxes, 2 sets of wagon bed planks, 2 sets of wagon bed scales

WOULD INVITE STATE GRANGE

Pomona Grange in Meeting at Hunterstown Luncheon Project to Bet Next Year's Meeting here. Do not Want Government Seeds.

The State Grange will be invited to hold its meeting at Gettysburg in 1911 if sufficient local interest can be aroused here. This action was taken Saturday by the Adams County Pomona Grange in which met at Hunterstown Saturday afternoon and evening. The grange also passed resolutions favoring postage rates, opposing the distribution of government seeds favoring rural rights and the abolition of taxes and urging a new method of improving road beds. The resolutions adopted were as follows:

Resolved, That the members of the Adams Co. Pomona Grange realize the great benefit that a parcels post would be to its members if established in the United States, we therefore request that you write for and use every effort to have measures passed, to supply districts with the conveyance similar to that which our foreign nations enjoy.

Resolved, That we oppose the distribution of government seeds and think the money could be better expended in relieving the post office deficit and also to aid in the establishing of a Parcels Post.

Resolved, That we are in favor of the subjurty to rule in their different districts.

Resolved, Therefore that we ask you to vote for, and that you use every reasonable effort to have the "Boyd Local Option" bill passed and become a law.

Resolved, That we respectfully petition our Legislature to reserve the oppressive taxation on real estate, the farms and farm houses, which are taxed sixteen or more mills on the dollar, while personal or mongrelous property pay about 4 mills on the dollar. Every session of the Legislature imposes additional burdens upon the people of the local government, thus depriving additional subjects for taxation, to raise the necessary revenue to enable the local governments to carry these additional burdens into effect. Consequently, at every turn of the wheel of legislation, additional taxation is imposed upon the home owners and tenants until it well nigh exterminates every dollar the home owner can rake or the products of his labor.

The members of the Legislature certainly must comprehend the situation as the farmers and home owners have opened no effort to intelligently state the situation of the people, and we do oppose the present tax laws impose upon the home owners and tenants of Pennsylvania.

We, therefore, respectfully insist that the state either assume a larger proportion of the cost of the local governments or at the least permit payments authority to use personal and corporate property in such unit of government. As a means of reducing the oppressive taxation on land and homes, we respectfully urge the passage of a bill requiring the state to pay the minimum wages of the public school teachers for the ensuing term, which would relieve farms and homes of a large amount of taxation, and would also urge the passage of a bill providing an appropriation of the public roads of minimum sum per mile for road purposes equal to 100 per cent of the road taxes paid in each township, limiting the amount to be paid to any five dollars per mile, and relieves the counties and townships of the partner ship business of constructing and main roads.

Resolved, That the Secretary forward a copy of these resolutions to our representatives in the Legislature.

The address of welcome at Saturday's meeting was made by Dr. C. L. Gobrecht, the response being made by Worthy Master Roberts of Arendtsville.

The afternoon session was taken up with music, recitations and discussions. "Is the Free Distribution of Government of any Value to the Farmer?" was ably discussed by Mr. Volsbor Informed of Butler borough, and Messrs Keller, Roberts and Bolger. They thought the seeds of little value, claiming that they received them late in the season and that Mr. Bolger thought some of the seeds all right.

Dr. Goldsborough and Mr. Roberts discussed the value of a parcels post. Two well prepared papers were read. The Grange, what is it?" by the Secretary; and, "The Farmer and the Grange" by the Lecturer.

In the evening there were music and recitations by Mrs. Woldner, Miss Catharine Culbaugh and Mrs. Keller. The program opened the next Quarterly Pomona meeting at Arendtsville May 20. It was also decided to accept the invitation to the State Grange to hold its annual convention in Gettysburg December of 1910 provided they can

COUNTY TEACHERS VICTORY FOR AT LITTLESTOWN

Rally of Public School Teachers from All Parts of Adams County Held in Lower End Town Two Meetings in Morning.

A rally of the public school teachers of the county was held on Saturday in Littlestown.

The meeting was opened in the morning with devotional exercises the teachers then dividing into two rooms the Primary Teachers Association meeting in one room and the Rural Teachers Association in the other.

The officers of the Primary Assocn this are presented, Mr. D. G. Lady, Arendtsville, and secretary, Miss Rose Keefer, of Gettysburg. Hereafter they held on the following topics, Vikies in the Primary Grades, Miss Mary Black Sadtler of Conewago township, subject, "Myths." W. Kitzmiller, of Berwick, held, "Primary Number Work." Miss A. Grace Burke, Gettysburg, and H. D. Lady, Arendtsville

S. A. Sanzle of Berwick township presided over the Rural Teachers' Institute, at Franklin township, secretary of the Rural Teachers' Association. The following topics were discussed: "Advantages of the Rural School" by J. Bosley, at Menallen township, and Harvey M. Stevens, of Union township. At both meetings other teachers and Superintendent Crabbs took part in the discussions.

In the afternoon all of the teachers attended one session. Superintendent Hilton Hall presided and Miss Mary George B. Bollen, of Littlestown, was secretary. Superintendent Hall spoke on "Still in Essentials" and "The Professional Spirit." Miss Bollen entertainment part of the program consisted of singing by the children of the Littlestown schools, a recitation by Miss Hamilton, of the Littlestown High school, and a twelve solo by Miss Margaret Alleman.

The session were attended by ninety nine teachers and were devotedly practical and helpful. The following were served in the building between the morning and afternoon sessions.

DANCE

A very enjoyable dance was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Keefer on last Tuesday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yohn Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Crouse, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Trimmer, Mr. Isom Yingling, Benjamin Stoner Andrew Stoner, Misses Ida Stoner, Ida Ruth Lisk, Mrs. W. Horner, Mrs. Charles Yohn, Mrs. Joseph Crouse, Elsie Plank, Esther Williams, Edna Lenore Trimmer, Elizabeth Stoner, Merth, Katherine Schriver, Bessie Yohn, Helen Trimmer, Mary Ruth Stoner, Minervia Trostle, Cornelius Stoner, Ralph Stoner, Charles Stoner, Earl Hoegy, Arthur Hyers, Harry Stoner, Ralph Yohn, Ralph Yohn, Conestoner, Howard Cullison, Lewis Mosteller, Howard Cullison, Lewis Mosteller, Howard Cullison, Lewis Mosteller, Ismael Stoner, Allen Dubbs, Roy Pittenturff, George Hesbarger, Bernard Hesbarger, Ralph Hesbarger, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swope, Lester Yough, John Wolfe, Charles Hesbarger, Harry

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YORK SPRINGS

York Springs, Feb. 17—Bruce Detwiler, of Bendersville, spent Sunday with his uncle, Jacob Myers.

O. E. Krauh and wife spent Monday with Milton Krauh and wife, of near Bendersville.

Jacob Baker spent Saturday at Gettysburg.

Ruth Cashman was home over Sunday.

George Lares made a business trip to Gettysburg on Sunday.

Miss Rebecca Miller and Basil are visiting friends at Littlestown.

Orphans Lares left on Monday for Waynesboro where he will engage in painting.

Mrs. Lee Myers spent Friday at Harrisburg and New Cumberland.

William Lear, of Churchtown, is spending some time with his parents and family. He has been eighteen years since he visited York Springs.

Miss Margaret Emmert, of Hagerstown, was home over Sunday.

KRALLTOWN

Krolltown, Feb. 17—The sick is and around town are all improving.

Jacob E. Sneeberger, Mrs. Hiram Keefer and son, Gaylord, of near East Berlin, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Sneeberger and families Saturday.

Miss Hattie Myers who was employed at York for some time returned home Sunday.

Harvey Myers and wife, of near East Berlin, Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. and W. O. Myers and families.

H. S. Spahr was the guest of T. W. Hoover Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. E. Joseph and children, of near East Berlin, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hoffacker Sunday.

Rev. A. G. Fastnacht, of Dover, called on Mrs. C. T. Bair Monday.

Miss Gertie Rinnehart, of near New Oxford, spent several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Rinnehart, recently.

Shooting matches are quite plentiful in this section. Monday Charles E. Bentz will hold one with rifle, ball and some turkeys.

We will soon believe the ground hog saw his shadow after all.

KINGSDALE

Kingsdale, Feb. 17—Elmer Reinecker, of near this place, moved to the property he bought last spring, on Saturday last.

Edward Hoff, of Westminster, Md., moved to the property vacated by Elmer Reinecker from whom he bought the property.

H. L. Barnum attended the directors' convention at Gettysburg on Monday.

The Kingsdale canning factory was sold by C. F. Krug to Smith, Vingling and Co., Hanover. Co., will be run full force this coming season, as we are glad to report.

Miss Lela and Homer Allen bowed spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fink, of Littlestown.

Mrs. Howard Crouse and son, Robert, spent Saturday in Littlestown with Mr. and Mrs. Elder Shealy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Myers-Spiese, of Taneytown, spent Sunday with them.

Jacob Brown, of near this place, is still on the sick list.

George Fissel spent several hours in Hanover today.

Letters of Interesting News From Adams County Township

Personals and Items of News Interest from Various Towns in the County. What the People in the Different Sections are Doing. Entertaining Visitors. Services in the County Churches

VIRGINIA MILLS

Virginia Mills, Feb. 17—Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Peters and children, who spent the last week with friends and Carlisle, have returned home

Misses Mary Rice and Josephine Shockley, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Sprenkle.

Mrs. Jennie Dayhoff, who has spent some time at the home of Harry Noon, of Orrtanna, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mintzie made a business trip to Gettysburg on Saturday.

Messrs. Curtis and Harvey Herbaugh and Walter Richard, of Carlisle, passed through this vicinity on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tracy, of Charlestown, spent Sunday with Mr. Tracy's place on Hunday.

Elmer Bowser, of Fairfield Station, spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lightner.

Harry Kitt spent Sunday with friends at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and Misses Katie Shockey and Thelma Kemp are on the sick list.

John Shindledecker spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Eliza Shindledecker, of Bendersville.

Messrs. Harry and Andrew Rosse, of Iron Springs, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rogers.

John Kist is crossing a new house on his property.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kepner and children, Lawrence and Luther, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kump, of this place.

FOUNTAIN DALE

Fountain Dale, Feb. 17—Messrs. W. C. Ireider and J. T. Sutor attended the directors' convention at Gettysburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Harbaugh and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents of near Emmitsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Herbaugh, of near this place, spent Sunday with his parents, Lewis Harbaugh and wife.

Mrs. Charles Toomey and Leonard Harbaugh and Miss Mae Kegler were Gettysburg visitors on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Harbaugh and daughter Ruth, spent Sunday with Harvey Trostler and family.

Misses Ethel Wolfe, of Gettysburg, and Hazel Trexler and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Lott, of Hanover, spent Sunday with Frank Wolfe and family.

Mrs. Elmer Bowser, Misses Hazel Trexler and Frances Harbaugh are on the sick list.

Misses Minnie Sappel and Minnie Sites, of Rice Ridge Summit, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Sappel.

Miss Nora Steiner is visiting Harry Myers and family.

BENDERSVILLE

Bendersville, Feb. 17—Pre hing services will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday, Feb. 19th. All people's meeting in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and son, Leonard, of Harrisburg, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wright.

W. Bladder, of Norristown, recently visited his family in Bendersville.

Harry Fleto, of Cumberland, Md., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fleto.

Mrs. B. F. Jacobs is ill at this writing.

The funeral of Mrs. Julia Bash, of Allentown, widow of the late Samuel Bash, of Aspers, was held in the Methodist church at this place Friday morning, Feb. 16. Services were conducted by Rev. Bowersox and Rev. Lentz. She was aged 55 years. She is survived by the following sons, Paul, Edward, Charles and Samuel Jones and one daughter Miss Blanche Bash, all of Allentown.

ROLLERVILLE R. D. 3

Miss Rose Shahl has just completed a quilt containing fifty patches.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Shahl, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Roth a son.

Mr. V. Jordan, Mr. W. Neill and Howard F. Slagle, of Hanover, and Mr. Lawrence Spangler, of Spangler's, Gettysburg visitors on Thursday evening.

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, Feb. 17—At a union service in the Reformed church last Sunday evening, Rev. Harbaugh delivered an illustrated lecture on Palestine.

Joseph I. Bricker and Miss Sarah Arndt were married in the Catholic church Tuesday morning, February 14, by Rev. John Cunningham.

John S. Myers and wife, of Hanover, spent last week with relatives in this place and vicinity.

Mrs. Louise Pass, of Emmitsburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Boyd.

Marshall E. Brown, of Hanover, visited his mother, Mrs. Helen Brown who is ill.

Fred and Mrs. C. A. Landis entertained the members of the high school class of 1911 from 10 to 12 o'clock on Monday evening.

The Presbyterian congregation held a social at the parsonage on Tuesday evening.

The Emmitsburg High school play will be given this Friday evening in the school house in this place.

There is a great deal of sickness in this community at the present time. Among those who are ill are Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Lawrence Weikert, Helen Brown, Mrs. Phillip Brown, J. H. Bushey, Harry Waddle, Harry Landis, William Rentzel and Mrs. Trish Plank.

Mr. J. E. Glenn is also indisposed at this writing.

HAVILLE

Idaville, Feb. 17—Preaching in the United Brethren church Sabbath morning.

Mrs. S. S. Myers and daughter, Grace, spent Saturday in Carlisle.

Oscar Neisinger, of Stanton, was in town on Sunday.

S. T. Crist made a business trip to Gettysburg one day last week.

Mrs. Julia A. Jones is reported on the sick list.

Mrs. Harbaugh, wife and children, of Aspers, R. D., spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. John Shlesinger spent Saturday in Carlisle.

Mrs. Emma Sapper and son, Eugene, visited friends at Bolling Springs on Sunday.

Mrs. Alf Daly spent Friday evening at Mt. Holly.

Jacob Hoffman was in Carlisle a few days this week.

Mrs. Lizzie Bell and Laura Bream spent Sunday with George Walter and wife of route 1.

UPPER BERKINSHAW

Upper Berkinshaw, Feb. 17—John A. Gulse and Albert Miller attended the directors' convention at Gettysburg on Monday evening last week.

John Pitts made a business trip to Gettysburg recently.

Orphens Gulse, wife and two children, visited Sunday with friends and family, of Hunters Run on Sunday last.

Grover Smith made a trip to Littlestown recently.

John Smith and Crist Pittsnurf made a business trip to Littlestown on Friday.

Thomas Golden and wife, and J. W. Shughart and son, Charles, spent Friday last in Carlisle.

Miss Hilton Lough, of Charlestown, Missouri is visiting the family of John Gulse.

John A. Gulse, wife and daughter, Mabel visited Sunday with relatives and family near York Springs recently.

ASPERS

Aspers, Feb. 17—W. S. Adams and sister, Dorothy, spent Tuesday in Gettysburg.

William Hayburger is busily engaged sawing out lumber for a new barn.

Mrs. John W. Ziegler, who has been quite ill with a severe cold and grippe is still confined to her home.

Mrs. Mary Black will go to Baltimore where she will spend several months.

A son, Walter spent Saturday night in Littlestown.

Services at Mt. Joy next Sunday at 2 p. m., Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Rev. Mr. Bachmeyer will preach at Greenmount on Sunday evening.

PROPERTY SOLD

Charles E. Bachenheimer has bought from Captain Calvin Gilbert the three story dwelling on W. Middle street recently.

NEW CHESTER

New Chester, Feb 17—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cashman spent Thursday at East Berlin.

S. H. Winter and son, Ross, spent Friday in Gettysburg.

Ira Klinger is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klinger, of Arendtsville.

Mrs. Harvey Crouse is visiting friends at Hanover this week.

Mrs. F. X. Miller, of New Oxford, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Wilson, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kohler, of Hanover, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trimmer

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Pottorff, of New Oxford, spent Friday with his friends at Hunter's Run and Idaville.

Misses Lillie ann Dorothy Fred, of Gettysburg, spent Sunday with their mother Mrs. Charlotte McDannel

Mrs. Emma McCreary spent Saturday in Gettysburg.

J. F. Burch, wife and daughter, Mary, spent Friday and Saturday in New Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Shylaugh, of Centre Square, spent Sunday with N. J. Weltman and wife.

J. Frank Marsh, wife and daughter, Mary, spent Sunday with Barnes Beamer and family.

ARENDTSVILLE

Arendtsville, Feb. 17—Luther C. Orr, of this place, has been vetoing Cows. They found their way to the Orr farm and were returned to their owner.

The price of eggs in this place has dropped to 25 cents per dozen. What will the price be when the hens will get the high price of feed it costs the profit of keeping them?

Mrs. D. T. Keser has been confined to her home by illness during the past week.

David K. Hartzell, of Aspers, R. D. 1, was the recent guest of his brother, Jeremiah Hartzell, on this place.

In addition to the immediate family Andrew J. Bittinger is survived by the following brothers and sisters, Bittinger, of Beechersville; Mrs. Samuel Bittinger, of Littlestown and Mrs. Henry A. Smeltz, of Arendtsville.

Mrs. Ella Bittinger, daughter, Mrs. Meisel, of Fairfield, spent the last week with some of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Bittinger near Arendtsville.

Miss Helen Hesk, a trained nurse from Harrisburg, is in attendance with Mrs. Andrew Bittinger in this place who has been ill during the last several months with a lingering cold.

The Fire Hearth Circle of the Reformed church will give an oyster supper in the town hall on Saturday evening, Feb. 18th.

LIBERTY HALL

Liberty Hall, Feb. 17—Mr. and Mrs. John Myers, of Bonaver, and son, Ross, of near Fairfield, visited with Kepler and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shinn entertained the following persons at a dinner on Wednesday, Feb. 7:

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob W. Stonebraker and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stonebraker, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Heil and daughter, Mrs. Ida Heil, Mrs. James Hoffman, Stuart Shinn and children, Stuart and Catherine, John Hoffman.

Misses Vita and Emma Baker spent Saturday evening with J. F. Elias and family.

Mrs. Jacob Sanders spent Sunday with David Dubel and family.

BARLOW

The spring sales are now beginning to follow quickly in turn.

Mrs. Jacob Hershey sent down a couple tons on his farm, the stamp of which is "Hershey Milling Co."

Miss Mary Black will go to Baltimore where she will spend several months.

Services at Mt. Joy next Sunday at 2 p. m., Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Rev. Mr. Bachmeyer will preach at Greenmount on Sunday evening.

PROPERTY SOLD

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EAST BERLIN

East Berlin, Feb. 17—A missionary service will be held in the Reformed church on February 25th in the evening.

A "Bible Study Class" was organized in the Reformed church last Thursday evening. The meeting will be in the Sunday school room and will meet again on Thursday evening. Everybody is invited to attend these meetings and get the full benefit of the lessons.

Miss Lydia Baughman is on the sick list.

Editor Kimmel, of the East Berlin News, is able to resume his duties as secretary in the Reformed church school.

Martin Kephart, of White Hall, was here on business and made a call at the home of J. J. Baughman and family.

Miss Elsa Day and Clara Smith, of Three Bridges, New Jersey, spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Day.

The public sale of Rev Samuel Bair's personal property realized last week. A team of black horses brought $310.00.

There will be preaching in the Reformed church next Sunday at 2.30 p. m.

J. T. Baughman was on the sick list but is now improving.

ORRTANNA

Orrtanna Feb 17—The redeck sale of Herman Bream was well attended and realized $2,000.

Mrs. John Crone who has been on the sick list is slowly recovering.

Margaret Hamerer is ill at the writing with pneumonia. It is hoped she will develop into scarlet fever.

Mr. Stoner was in regular attendance at the directors' convention held at Gettysburg. He was much interested in the meeting.

Isaac Rishel and brother, of Scandinavia, made a brief visit to Orrtanna on our section this week.

The Reformed church last received two carloads of cooperage material and work will soon begin by the sawing of the material. The lumber comes from Boston, Mass.

Mr. Bittinger, daughter and wife left this morning for a pleasure trip visiting Washington, D. C., Richmond, Fort Monroe and Mrs. Bittinger's old home in Charles Town, West Virginia. The party will attend the National Protective Legion of which Mr. and Mrs. Bittinger are active members.

Orrtanna, Feb. 17—Benjamin Herring, of Hanover, transacted business here on the 13th.

Miss Mildred Bamgardner, who has been spending the past week with her grandmother, Mrs. John Herring, has returned home.

The well drillers left our town Monday. They made a very profitable trip, drilling a well for Mr. Bittinger at their new home, H. Cover, Charles Bream and Mr. Bittinger.

John Goodermuth has returned home from Arendtsville where he has been at work in the Frick shoppe for some time.

The family of James Boyd enterained his aunt, Mrs. Fem, a few days last week.

There was a very agreeable surprise given Mrs. and Mrs. William Herring at their home Wednesday evening last week. Many friends were present bringing with them all the delicacies of the season. The evening was spent in a very social manner and at a late hour were invited when upon the dining room table which was spread was also have a good taste for pineapples, ice cream and cake which was served in course.

While Mr. Herring was furnishing and making more room the guests were entertained in a pleasant manner.

TOWN STOCKS SOLD

The following York stocks sod bonds were sold on Thursday: twenty shares of York Water Company $40 each; 20 shares of York Water Co. 6 per cent preferred $40 each; 5 shares Western National bank $125 a share; $50 York and Peach Orchard railroad bonds of series B, sold at $100 with interest.

Miss Alma Andrews and Miss Edna Hoffman, of Littlestown, Pa., Rural route 2, are spending several days in Baltimore with friends.

COMPANY WOULD LOCATE PLANT

Automobile Supply Company, Employing Several Hundred Men, Wants to Know if Gettysburg will Offer Any Inducements.

The following letter was received on Friday by Burgess Holtzworth.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 14, 1911.

His Honor, the Mayor,

Gettysburg, Pa.

Dear sir,

The International Automobile League Tire and Rubber Company is about to settle on a location for the plant which it is ready to build. We will manufacture tires and tubes.

If your town has any inducements to offer us for bringing our factory to your city we would be pleased to have them for the consideration of our Board of Directors at as early a date as possible.

Yours very truly,

International Automobile League.

A. C. Bidwell, president.

The letter was referred to the Retail Merchants Association.

THE COLE LEGISLATORS

The Herrieving Telegraph says.

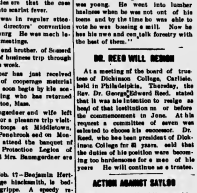
"The Cole family seems to have a check for everything although it is not in the Legislature. Two of its members are now occupying seats in the most quarter century and now Adams C. Cole, the Adams member, leaves the senate chamber to take his seat with the youngest members and the son of a legislative man, Hon. William Stenger Brydorn, son of the Philadelphia Democratic leader, Representative Cole is just turning thirty and is serving his second term. He lives in Adams, as did his father before him. The elder Cole sat in the House as the Speaker One and with ex-Speaker John H. Ferguson, who died as his son. He was called twice in ten years and a dozen times in the last half the west. Although young, he is an energetic member and there are those who few roll calls he misses. Over in the House Cole is the lumber business, in which he graduated when he was young. He went into lumber when a youngster, as a boy in the business and by the time he was able to vote he was a full partner. He is a boss his own and can talk forestry with the best of them."

DR. REED WILL RETIRE

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Dickinson College, Carlisle, held in Philadelphia, on Monday, the Rev. Dr. George Edward Reed, stated that he was desirous of being relieved of the head of that institution on or before the commencement of 1912. Upon request a committee of seven was selected to choose his successor. Dr. Reed has been president of Dickinson College for 21 years, and that he has been successful in building up the institution for a men of his profession is the testimony of his friends.

ACTION AGAINST SULLIVAN

John Saylor, of Franklin township, whose information and testimony led to the arrest of Sullivan, who is now on charges of assault and battery and carrying a deadly weapon, has already secured and a delightful evening spent in a pastoral visit home. Refreshments were served.



UNITED BRETHREN

Rev. G. W. Sherrick will preach at Mt. Tabor Sunday school at 9 o'clock morning on "Presumptous Sin" and at Salem in the evening on "Doubt."

METHODIST

Sunday School 9.30 a. m.; Epworth League 6.30 p. m.; Preaching 7.30 p. m. A cordial invitation to all. T. Stanton Ault.

ARENDTSVILLE REFORMED

On Sunday morning at 10 o'clock a Young Peoples Missionary Day will be rendered. Offering for Foreign Missions.

REFORMED

Sunday School 9.30 a. m. No morning church service but church service at Mt. Joy Sunday evening, February 19th." Services by the pastor at St. Marks at 10 a. m.

RUSSIA TO MOVE AGAINST CHINA

Disregard of Treaty Obligations Cause of Strife.

THE CZAR WARNS POWERS

Conflicting Claims of Jurisdiction in Manchuria in Cause of Course. But Diplomats Don't Believe War Will Result.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The Russian government has notified the state department of its intention to make a military demonstration against China. The details of the proposed movement haven't been received. The Russian government promises to send further information on the subject when the state department so asks as possible.

It appears that the Russian government, wearied of what it regards as persistent disregard by China of her treaty obligations toward Russia, is about to bring pressure to bear to enforce her claims, even to the extent of a military demonstration in the province of Ili, the seat of the present trouble.

The Russian government has promised the American embassy to acquaint it with particulars of the indictment against China.

The whole incident comes as a great surprise to the diplomatic service in Washington, for although it was known that sharp letters had arisen between Russia and China over conflicting claims of jurisdiction in Manchuria and in connection with the commercial privileges in Mongolia, the situation was not regarded as serious, and it generally was believed that in view of the deplorable conditions existing in China as a result of the frightful famine and the terrible ravages of the plague, Russia would generously defer pressing her claims to the extreme at this time.

China is impugned.

That war will not result from the latest move of the Russian government is the confident belief in diplomatic circles here. It is generally understood that the Chinese are to tally unprepared to meet such a force as Russia at this juncture. So it is expected that China will appeal, by all means, including America, for fair play. What amount of consideration she will receive cannot safely be foretold.

It is not probable that our own government could act until it has examined the question from both sides, and before action is taken it is believed that China must first have a chance to present her case. Such disregard of her treaty obligations as would warrant this move is tremendous.

Should it be found that there is ground for such action, it is entirely possible that the state department may see its good offices to avert war or the working of peace rules in favor of China by suggesting a reference of the issues between Russia and China to The Hague tribunal.

Indeed, it may be that as one of the parties to The Hague convention, America will feel bound as a matter of duty under the mediation section of the convention to proffer its good offices and may even go further than that and volunteer its endeavoring to secure the support for mediation of other great signatory powers.

At first glance it does not appear that the "open door" doctrine is involved in this affair, for certainly not Russia would not attempt to control the trade of China in the particular provinces of Mongolia or Turkestan now enjoyed by citizens of foreign countries.

GOMPERS' APPEAL

Asks For $500,000 to Uphold Union Labor in Los Angeles.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American federation of labor, has sent to all labor organizations throughout the country a circular asking aid in raising a fund of $500,000 to be used in behalf of the protests of organized labor at Los Angeles.

"We are hosting this appeal," said Mr. Gompers, "for the reason that a long our fellow working men in Los Angeles have been deprived their rights and liberties as men of organized labor."

TILLMAN WILL VOTE FOR LORIMER

Washington, Feb. 17.—Senator Tillman announced that he will vote against the resolution to unseat Senator Lorimer. The senator from South Carolina said that he has reached this decision after a careful study of the record in the case and as a result of the speech by Senator Dolliver in behalf of Senator Lorimer.

Reward For Art Student.

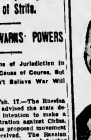
Rome, Feb. 17.—The government has now inclined to fear that the disappearance of Henry Lawrence Wolga, of New York, was the result of a crime, and have offered a reward for the discovery of the missing art student.

Kaiser Improves; Takes Auto Ride.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—The condition of Emperor William has improved and he days has been suffering from an attack of influenza, which developed and he took an automobile drive through the streets of the city.

KING NICHOLAS.

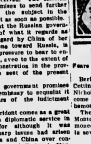
Aged Ruler of Montenegro Is Critically Ill.



Fears Are Entertained For the Ruler Who Is Now Dangerous.

Berlin, Feb. 17. — Dispatches from Cetinje, Montenegro, state that King Nicholas is seriously ill. He has become very weak, owing to persistent hemorrhage of the nose.

The members of the family of the Montenegrin monarch have been summoned to his bedside King Nicholas is seventy years of age



KING NICHOLAS ILL

TAFT EXPECTED TO VETO PENSION BILL

New Measure Doesn't Meet With His Approval.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The prediction was freely made on the floor of the house today that President Taft will veto the Sulloway gunsmit pension bill if it becomes a law.

Similar expressions have been heard in administration circles not only in the capitol, but not publicly made in dispatches from Beverly, where the pension rolls about $30,000,000 a year.

The measure was put through the house when Representative Fuller, of Illinois, substituted it for the bill of Miss Gerald, of New York, in charge of the pension committee, of the probable fate of which there was no doubt.

"Oh," said Mr. Fitzgerald, "the president will veto the bill." But the attitude he knows that is unalterable. He was a member of the committee the other day on Canadian reciprocity bill.

THE POPE'S ILLNESS

Pontiff Has Indigestion; Passed a Quiet Night.

Rome, Feb. 17.—The pope, who is suffering from an attack of influenza, passed a comfortable and restful night. His temperature has fallen somewhat, but the pontiff remains in a rather ill humor. The pontiff complains of a tightness in the chest and a recurrence of indigestion.

The holy father will be allowed to receive only a small number of visitors today. Among those who called was Count Rocco Del Val, the papal secretary of state, and Monsignor Pacelli, the papal major domo.

The papal physicians say the pope's forces are not inflamed.

STOLE FURNITURE

Carpenters Arrested; Cost Over $15,000 in Goods.

New Rochelle, N. Y., Feb. 17.—The police have discovered that for nearly every piece of furniture in the magnificent residence of Harry Hill, a wealthy publisher of Manhattan, valued at more than $15,000, has been carried away and sold by robbers.

Frank Hill, a carpenter, and Frank Baker of the place, Hill has confessed to the theft of the furniture, valued at over $15,000, and the police believe that the confession will lead to the arrest of a number of others. The plunder has been recovered from pawnbrokers.

George IV.'s Gold Robe For George V.

London, Feb. 17.—King George has decided to wear the gold embroidered imperial mantle worn by George IV at the coronation of George V. in May. It is in a state of perfect preservation, in spite of the flood which in gold and is surrounded with a deep border of ermine.

Senatorship Race Cost Him $10,400.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 17.—Senator Stone, who was a candidate for senator, filed his campaign expense account with the secretary of state, showing that he spent $10,400 in his campaign. The senator's primary nomination was by a trip to Jefferson City to be elected.

Slight Damage Bulls.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 17.—Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust declared that he would not prosecute the sale of sausage containing flour and bread, as the law prohibits, but that fines were imposed brought in Berks Schuylkill and Chester counties.

ARCHBISHOP RYAN'S FUNERAL

Church and People Unite in Solemn Services.

THOUSANDS VIEWED BODY

Cardinal, Papal Delegate and Numerous Dignitaries Attend Services in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Feb. 17.—One of the most impressive funeral services that ever took place in this city occurred within the cathedral of SS. Peter and Paul, here J. Ryan, archbishop of Philadelphia, was buried beneath the high altar of the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul.

Practically all the prominent figures in the hierarchy of the Catholic church in the United States participated in the service. The sacred edifice filled with a crowd of 3000 persons and surrounding the building was a great concourse of people.

It is estimated that about 100,000 persons passed through the cathedral to look for the last time upon the face of the bishop. The doors of the church were closed at midnight last Sunday and at 6 o'clock a corps of workmen fabricated and had to the resting place.

The body of the archbishop rested in a casket of copper in front of the high altar, surrounded by the insignia of the ecclesiastic guards of honor. It was dressed in the full regalia of the office of archbishop, including the mitre.

The services began with the chant for the dead by the choir of the cathedral. The ceremonies who performed this office included Cardinal Gibbons, who officiated by his assistants in gorgeous vestments.

With the end of the services the Cardinal pronounced the absolution. The secretary, where the procession for the cathedral where he rested until the end. Last came the officers of the mass, including Bishop Prendergast, assistant priest, and Bishop Prendergast, subdeacon.

The procession moved down the aisle to the crypt.

JUAREZ IS SAFE NOW

Orozco Withdrews and Lets Federals Retake the City.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 17.—Fully 200 Mexican federals, under General Navarro, entered the city of Juarez, and gathering in the abandoned property of the Terrazas family, set it on fire. The flames soon spread to the Terrazas compress.

General Navarro and his re-enforcements reached the city after the insurrectos had withdrawn. Orozco's men suddenly withdrew from the railroad yards and commenced boarding up to the three troop trains and one repair train.

Not an insurrecto was seen on the streets of Juarez. It was the first desert, although 700 of them had been in the city for the last two days. Thirty miles south of Juarez, and the federal troops are still at large, numerically speaking, but the fact that Americans have but slight faith in them now is fatuous.

SUBWAY BUILDER IS ILL

Family of John B. McDonald Alarmed at His Condition.

New York, Feb. 17.—With an attack of pneumonia, bronchitis and a complication of diseases, John B. McDonald, builder of the subway, is ill at his home in his apartment in the Dakota, at the corner second street and Central Park West.

Mr. McDonald has been ill and under the care of a physician for several days. He is suffering from a bronchial trouble.

Mr. McDonald's family is alarmed over his condition. It is said that some action was voluntary. Scarlet was delivered until Monday.

Six Smugglers Drowned.

San Francisco, Feb. 17.—Six persons were drowned in the ocean south of San Pedro in an attempt to smuggle Chinese into the United States according to a report at the Angel Island immigration station. The information came from interpreter Frank Ainsworth, in charge of the immigration naval Orient.

PRINCE OF WALES.

Heir to British Throne Has the Measles.

Prince of Wales Has Measles.

Edward, Prince of Wales, and his brother, Prince Albert, have been attacked with measles at the naval college at Dartmouth, England, and there is an epidemic of the disease. Consternation at the princes causes no anxiety.

Coal Gas Killed Engaged Couple.

Carbon monoxide coal gas poisoning killed Grace Elsener and Charles Tuite, who were found dead in the parlor of the Elsener home, in Cumberland, Md., on Dec. 31, the day before they were to be married, according to the report of two physicians who tested the blood of the two victims.

Hermetical authorities have maintained that the couple met their death by cyanide of potassium, the coroner's jury rendering a verdict to that effect.

The reports of Dr. Charles Glaser, of Baltimore, and Dr. E. L. Hall, chief chemist of the health department of the state, both declare that the chemists employed by State's Attorney Regester are incompetent.

The reports are against the theory that cyanide poisoning was the cause of death; in each instance came from carbon monoxide poisoning.

Carbon monoxide is a gas supposed to be given off by coal gas. It is said the Elsener parlor, Dr. Hall says, had been closed for a week, and had been used as a bedroom. He says the presence of carbon monoxide in the room could have come only from coal gas.

Nat Pin Wound Kills Man.

Capitol Junction, Kansas, Feb. 17.—As one of the best known ore captains on the Rock Island road, he lived in Denton as the result of a jab from a pin. Dan Hall, 45 years old, was in a crowded trolley car, when a woman's hat pin struck him in the neck and suddenly withdrawn from the railroad yards in the chest. He thought nothing of it for two weeks or more, and then he began to feel ill. Blood poison was taken to the City hospital, where he died of blood poisoning.

Shot His Brother.

Chetek, Wis., Feb. 17.—Twenty years of age, shot his brother Calvin, thirty-two years old, at the home of the latter in Nobleville, ind.

The two men quarreled between the two brothers, and when Charles went to the home of Calvin they met with revolvers. Nine shots were fired. Calvin was shot through the right breast and a lung penetrated. He can live but a few days. The shooting created a ill in the father of six children. Charles Avery is under arrest.

Break Into Jail to Rob.

Two masked burglars broke into the jail at Rock Falls, Ill., and robbed William Burns, Pa., and after smashing open the safe in the office of Sheriff Stanley Jenkins, the only prisoner, the two men left the jail without disturbing his wife with a revolver.

The burglars, besides finding $15, took a number of keys, among the latter being the key to the jail.

Railroad Promotes Woman.

Miss Daisy Coles, for years chief clerk to the superintendent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, has been appointed division passenger agent.

Miss Coles is the first woman, so far as railroad men know, to occupy such a position. She has been with the road for thirty salands from Watertown, Illinois, to Lincoln.

State Postmasters Named.

The president nominated the following state postmasters: Andrew A. High, Reading, Pa.; Joseph W. Fuller, Bethlehem, Pa.; Frederick Schwartz, Laurel, Md.; William G. Tilney, Dover, Del.

Nathanield Left $145,000,000.

New York, Feb. 17.—It became that the estate of Baron Albert von Rothschild, who died in Vienna on Sunday, is worth $145,000,000.

FAMILY OF SEVEN KILLED BY GAS

Father, Mother and Five Children Found Dead.

BRIDE-ELECT ONE OF VICTIMS

Deadly Fumes From Tube Detached From Gas Stove Filled the House and Overcame Family in Their Sleep.

Seven persons, including the father, mother, their sons and daughters, were asphyxiated by gas in their home at 1 Pearl street, in the rear of 225 Christian street, Philadelphia.

The victims are: Hyman Berkowitz, aged 40 years; Mrs. Rose Berkowitz, aged 36; Rose Berkowitz, forty years old; Samuel Berkowitz, fifteen; Nathaniel, nine; Rebecca, seven, and Pearl, five years old.

The family was killed by the accidental loosening of a rubber gas tube from a gas pipe running across the kitchen stove in the basement of the house with the illuminating gas. One of the family is said to have got out of bed before being overcome by the fumes, attempted to turn off the gas, but children showed evidences of having tried in a feeble manner to escape the overpowering gas.

The nature of the accident was discovered by Miss Minnie Bloom, a friend of Miss Rose Berkowitz, who was to be married on Thursday to Louis Weinstein, a merchant. Miss Bloom arrived at the Berkowitz home and was found banging on the second floor window sill. She was unable to get in from there.

The Berkowitz family rented early. The father did not return home until late in the evening. The lights in the room does stairs in a gas stove in the basement under a window. From there is a pipe which extends across the kitchen ceiling. To this pipe is a rubber gas tube had been attached to the stove, but had become detached.

Dr. Lewitta, the evidence showed, in attempting to light the stove, had accidentally kicked the gas tube and disconnected it from the pipe. Gas upon allowed the gas to escape without ignition.

He went upstairs to bed and left the family in the basement room with its three sons, and the doors and windows of the room were closed, slept, wide open. In a short time the gas had filled the room to the exclusion of the pipe, had filled the house.

Miss Bloom, unable to make any attempt to get up when the accident was discovered, ran to the basement door and stayed away, overcome by the fumes. The youngest child, Paul, was found with his head on the pillow and to have made any move apparently.

Miss Rose was to have been married to J. Marks, a constable and collector, on Thursday, and the wedding was to take place at the home of Samuel Smith, 1015 North Fifth street. Miss Rose was a favorite with the young people in the bowels family, and, fearing that she would not appear, sent Miss Bloom over to the house. Miss Bloom, on the recommended Marks to the police, and they broke in the basement door away.

Upon opening the door the lavendergators were almost knocked over by the escaping gas. Every one in the house was found turned wide open. After the bodies were taken to the morgue, it was learned upstairs and there found the people unconscious and supposedly dead.

Respiratory Pill Passes House.

The Tec Hot Springs bill, the administration's respiratory appropriation measure, passed the house of representatives, 194 to 56. The measure provides for the sale of the hot springs reservation in Arkansas.

Ten years ago the Republicans promised voted against the measure, the Democratic vote was 163 ayes and 56 nays, a majority of the Republican insurgents present voted for the bill.

The McCall bill now goes to the senate, where it is said that it will be duly re-enforcement at the time. Senator Lea introduced and a vote taken on the senate shall act and report on the measure by March 15, when it would call on extra session of congress, which is expected.

Says Wife to Wed Another.

Medford, Mass., Feb. 17.—Another arrest in Reading, Pa., on the charge of bigamy was made here today. The man was at first thought to have been Charles Hall, but he gave the name of all above in her home early on Monday morning. The police say that evidence points to a colloquy plan, but not proved.

The authorities declare a motive in the case. The remarkable story of Mrs. Hall's life, briefly, runs: She was one of Bleacher, who came to the city since widowhood.

Learning that her persistent wooer was married, Mrs. Hall at first was overcome with grief as she told her friends. Subsequently, however, it is said that Vanasse had spurned her during the past few months and promised to wed her at Wilmington, Del., the second week in March. The girl kept her own counsel and her wedding trousseau was prepared for the occasion for the wedding.

"We'll keep our wedding a secret," he told me, were the words she told her landlord's brother, Attorney Dumas. "Then we will go west to live," she added.

Thursday, Mrs. Hall's friends learned, under pretense of feeling unwell, by a ruse, downstairs until he was sure that his wife and baby were gone. Then he went in the car at about 4:30 a. m. on Monday he crept to his wife's bedside and, her as she slept.

"The bedding was saturated with kerosene," said Assistant District Attorney Dumas, "and then he smoked plenty," he added. "The oil was found in the bedding instead of the mattress, not damaged, even after having been taken from the window."

Steam Defeats Wolgast.

Knocked Out Out at New York, defeated Wolgast, lightweight champion, in an eleven-round bout, Friday night.

Steam carried the battle to Wolgast in every round. He was wonderfully strong and aggressive and Wolgast took many hard knocks. It was Wolgast's stamina and clog physically that prevented Brown from knocking him out. In the eleventh round Brown stole the champion who had proved himself the better man. Wolgast had the fight by a conspicuous margin when the knockout occurred. He was clearly outfought and outgeneraled throughout the fight. Brown's staminess it was that prevented him from knocking out. He did not show his best form, but it was clear that he could not have won from his vicious opponent. Both Wolgast's seconds and Brown showed superior fighting ability and Brown resorted to all kinds of rough tactics.

Over $20,000 Worth of Jewelry Stolen.

Jewelry valued at $20,000 was stolen from the residence of Charles G. Rose, 1 East Eighty-Sixth street, New York, early day night indicates that the burglar got $10,000 worth of jewelry and about $10,000 and $15,000 in intrinsic value.

Mrs. Rose had removed a large number of valuables which were found in the safe, and it is said the burglars left with a gift from the Rose's daughter, Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, Cornelius Rock, sister-in-law of Mrs. Rose. The

CLEARTHE LIES IN FAVOR OF TAYLOR

Judge Swope Hands Down Opinion in Case of Taylor against Sharetts which would Make Letter's Election Void.

On Saturday Judge Swope handed down an opinion in the case of Hussey W. Taylor vs. Jacob E. Sharetts enjoining the latter from acting as the director of the poor case. Mr. Taylor setting that under the new amendments not all the votes were counted and that therefore the recent election of Jacob E. Sharetts was void. It will be remembered that Mr. Sharetts was elected director of the poor.

Extracts from Judge Swope's opinion which contains about fifty words, are as follows:

"Practically the same questions here involved was passed upon by my learned brother, Judge Billinger, and ruled in favor of defendant's contention, in the case of the Commissioners of York County to receive and file a petition for nomination to this office in 1910. But we refuse to adopt this opinion because we cannot agree with the controlling consideration upon which it is based that "the office of director of the poor, elected under such method is not local note of assembly were not to the minds of the framers of these amendments to the constitution, to the minds of the electors, who voted for the same."

"It is true and has been frequently said that the office of director of the poor is not a county office. But the facts of those cases differ widely from the facts before us, and so ruling is authority except in conditions to which it applies."

"The only effect of these amendments on the office of director of the poor of Adams County and other similar officers elected under two boxes is as to the time of their election and their terms of service. They still remain a body politic and corporate in law for all purposes relating to the care of the county as provided by the existing statutes. But as their duties and powers are co-ordinate with the county and they are elected by the voters of the county, for the purposes of these amendments they will be voted on to come within the designation of "county officers."

"From a careful consideration of these amendments and the cases cited, we feel forced to the conclusion that they operated to forfeit by inviolate the office of director of the poor etc. of the County of Adams and therefore that the term of the orator to this office was continued for one year. But the term of office of future directors is charged from three to four years and that the election of the defendant to this office November 8, 1910, a general election day, was unconstitutional and void."

HOT DOGGE BONNET

The hot bonet of Highdell being big to Frederick and Sperrstell by him was destroyed by fire late Friday night. Flames were seen by the shoot 10 o'clock in a small building at one end of the bonet house, and at the store house, and before they could be checked completely destroyed the store house and hot house. Some plants were saved, but the loss was almost entire.

Fortunately the wind blew, the flames away from the dwelling house which is close by and this structure was saved. The Big Bridge Township fire department responded to the alarm and went into action promptly, but during much old to Mr. Hoppel. The origin of the fire is unknown. The hot house was about 100 x 20 feet in dimensions. The loss will probably reach $3,000.

INSANE FROM HAZING

Relative to the recent discretion over hazing at Dickinson College it is stated that one young man, who entered the college in 1909, and who within a few weeks after school began, and that he returned to his home and now is insane and is hopeless, as a direct result of the treatment he received. Having just received injury to many college students is intimated that it is tolerated.—Gettysburg Times.

MARE GOOD TIME

George F. Eberhart and D. J. Forney arrived in Gettysburg Saturday evening with two cars, a Ford, driven by Thorpsie reached and a Maxwell Model 1 torpedo touring car being made the trip from Philadelphia through snow and mud in 6 1-2 hours without running time. The cars have created much favorable comment.

SOLD AUTOMOBILES

The Gettysburg Motor Car Company has sold a Model T Ford touring car to **John W. Mellhenny**, and a Model Model 3 torpedo touring car to **Emory Plank.**

BOY UNHURT IN RUNAWAY AUTO

When Father Left Machine to Make Adjustment Car Started Suddenly with Boy who Had Wild Ride in Unguided Automobile.

Lewis, a ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Crist, Sr., of near Abbottstown, experienced an exciting ride in a runaway automobile in which he escaped injury though the machine was badly damaged.

Father and son were enjoying a ride in the machine. When in the act of turning it about, the latter would be backed into the gutter where it became stuck in the mud. Before he could leave the machine while the engine was running the starting end when chanced to put it out of the mud it started off suddenly with the boy on the seat.

The boy knew nothing about running an automobile and the machine continued along the road leading from the East Berlin pike to the Hanover road for some distance. At the farm of George Lauer a part of the paling fence was wrecked when the machine struck it, and a half mile further south it collided with a telephone pole, doing the automobile out of business.

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postmaster post office for week ending March 11, 1911.

A. B. Nordinka Anneksdorf, Mr. Wilhelm Bauer, Mr. Wm. Bell, Mr. J. E. Miller, Mr. William A. Wooden.

Persons calling for the above will please state that they were advertised

C. Wm. Bealon, postmaster.

LINE TO BE ABSORBED

The announcement is made that the Gettysburg & Harrisburg Railway will take over the Frederick Railway Surveys were made last winter through the Middletown Valley but it is generally believed the work was done in the interest of the Blue Ridge Southern Maryland. That $1,500,000 has been paid for the merger of trolley ed gas companies at Frederick has been announced by estate help.

The Frederick road has a traffic arrangement with the Western Maryland now to handle business by way of Thurmont, where the steam line is to have a connection with the electric line business. A connection in Brunswick is provided with the Hagerstown end of the trolley to Jefferson, is contemplated.

Five hundred thousand dollars will be spent on terminals.

HORSES AND MULES

Will receive at my stables

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1911

by express,

2 and 3 years old.

Will receive one carload of HORSES every Friday after the above date.

H. A. Smith,
Hanover, Pa.

SATURDAY, FEB. 18, 1911

I will have a carload of Ohio and Kentucky horses by Saturday the 18th.

H. W. PARR.
Hanover Pa.

A LONG NEW YEAR CALL

A Story of New Amsterdam.

By F. A. MITCHEL

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New Year's day, of the season of making calls, was towards from 11 land. Calling on that day was distributed a generously as it did all the Father Knickerbocker should come back on Jan. 1 and see how we treat him.

The housewife was summoned once a week in open her parlor, scrub it, sweep it, and if and, having recovered every speck of dirt, sum it up, and in the evening of the first day it till the next cleaning day, when it would be swept again.

Now, there lived in New Amsterdam a gentleman of the name of Wouter Van Clibbs, whose grandsire, Annetje, was one of the best. He was a respectable member of some clubbish organizers, looking for all the world as he set out to make calls on New Year's, his hair furnishing the handle and all below the waist the master pot. His manner was a frugal woman who, having nur ed a poor man, found herself obliged to seek a home in a new company in order to keep in luxury to which she was accustomed. Consequently she arranged a plan by which she could support herself. Her Van Trumbh, who was thirty-six, and if he was a man for one thing he was a modern only half his age. "Pete," the pet name given him by his wife, was as he now he will relate my age, "is seventy-five, and he is not a day over two he will be a hundred and forty-four."

Pete Van Clibbs was not sufficiently bright to controvert this mathematical proposition, and as he was not in the match all the same, declaring that he would not be a party to it. Catherine Trenkin would likely die long before she was, because she was a woman of years of independence.

The last New Year's day before the English relieved the New Amsterdam from Dutch rule came on a Wednesday and changed the name of the town to New York as the name of the province in general. Every housewife active was astir early in the day to see that the many battles of festivities whereupon there set up for visitors.

Work done and dinner every Dutchman in New Amsterdam had called on his neighbor, and the streets were the shadow of the sun. Pete Van Eyck was greatly worried because Wouter Heliger didn't come home. Though he was a bachelor, Wouter Heliger had been put on; the young man had been left to look after his affairs, and he first the fire left, and when those of every household had been attended to with his own he was minding out in the cold. Pete Van Eyck was the only one in the town where the Teutons now stands of whom Wouter Heliger was a member who had been drinking schnapps due to the day and the day before.

Every Dutchman said "Jah" and went back to work.

For a week the people of New Amsterdam hunted high and low for Wouter Van Eyck. The pond was drained, the wood burned over, the ground dug, its mean to the financial center of the province, and every nook and cranny of the East and Hudson rivers were searched with the exception of the one body might rise. But no Heliger Van Eyck was found.

One week from New Year's Day Pete Van Clibbs was sitting in his chair, and another entered. It was the person of Wouter Heliger, and the person following the landster on the floor above him Wouter Heliger, for the latter's clothes were her animately. The housewife dropped her knitting and ran to the cyclone of dust as possible, flew about the room, shook the dust of her broom and the rolling of the rainbows in the air, and when it settled down to a heard her mother give a shriek.

The cry was that of Pete on the crib who ran down the stairs and into the parlor. Pete Van Clibbs, seeing Pete Eyck was crawling out from under the chair, which was overturned, stood, in hand, regarding him with totalist amazement.

"Are you living or dead?" asked Pete Van Eyck.

"I'm living to tell the tale," said Wouter.

"Where?" said the girl. "Heliger was calling here on New Year's morning. Jan Jansen and I had been up to go for something I wished to give him, and while I was gone he shot himself."

"I left behind the exile," interrupted the young man. "I've come in, since not the swallow that I have left, but for the dance. I have been here ever since."

"Why didn't you tell us?" asked Pete Jansen. "How have you lived here all these months?"

"I didn't know, Jansen, for sure, whether you would be glad to see me or not, and I've been living on the fat of the land."

"Really, Inkley," put in the girl from behind the Jansen corner, "if you put off doing anything till now."

"What?" said the another, "you cannot be married at once. Don't all from here till the Jansen corner."

The dominie came, and the tenth were made out. Pete Van Eyck and the mother of the groom were soon stopped, and after they had gone and their son they were informed of the reasons for the delay.

This was the nearest to a small New Year's call.

TOO MUCH WATER.

There is no irrigation enterprise that is worth a copper unless water is available for irrigation purposes at times however during the summer months when it is needed, and yet there are many sections of the west section where ditch water has been plundered who have been strewn and farmers financially for the very reason that they have had too much water. Hundreds of farmers in the Big Horn basin of Wyoming have had too little water to irrigate their crops and have a number of necessity have proved the best of farmers in the state. Instances of crop production, in many of the Big Horn basin are the wonder of the rich coast states, where irrigation enterprises have been successful. Irrigation has resulted on lower levels in the production of alfalfa, sugar beets and other crops that have produced handsome returns. Many farmers who have dissatisfied and unsought in the Big Horn basin have made fortunes on crop plant growth. While the term "dry farming" is used to designate the acts in the arid country where irrigation is impossible, the term is misleading and misapplied. The dry farmer is the natural dominator in the arid country, and the success of the underground water to an artificial supply is the problem that has been found to become so vast or so silly that it is not to be solved. It is not the only permanent cure, for inland irrigation. The dry farmer is the irrigation system which will remain of the arid country when the irrigation of the soil water. While this may be of the irrigation system which will remain the underground life system, with moisture in the soil, the dry farmer will not only handle the few, but proved most successful in the irrigation of the dry farmer will not only handle the few, but proved most successful in the irrigation of the dry farmer will not only develop subterranean efforts the greatest success.

DAIRYING IN DENMARK.

Professor Sa ngild, a noted Danish dairyman, has been sent to the state of Agentics and has given those who have heard him a lecture on many interesting facts and impressions of the dairy industry in Denmark which he holds. While Denmark has but one-fourth the area of the state of Minnesota, it has an equal number of cattle. The value of the average cow per year ago the average cow per year ago the average cow per year which yielded from 80 to 100 pounds of butter. The cooperative system introduced by selection, testing and weighing of cows has raised the yield to 200 pounds of butter per cow. Denmark has 1,200 to 200 to 300 pounds of butter. Denmark has 1,200 to 200 to 300 pounds of butter. Denmark has 1,200 to 200 to 300 pounds of butter

90 DAYS FOR PITTENTURF

York County Judge Gives Gettysburg Man a Light Sentence on Condition that he Leave the State after Sentence is Completed.

James Pittenturf, better known as "Dunter" Pittenturf, has been given a ninety day sentence in the York County Jail by Judge Bittinger and is now serving the time. Pittenturf had pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery. In imposing the sentence Judge Bittinger made it a condition of what he considered a mild punishment that Pittenturf leave the state immediately after the expiration of his sentence and the promise was forthcoming.

The judge instructed the sheriff to see that the promise is fulfilled as soon as the term expires and Pittenturf says that Baltimore will be his next destination.

It will be remembered that he was arrested by several York officers without a warrant and Pittenturf resisted violently, wounding the bloodhound badly in the encounter. The fact that the arrest was secured without the use of warrant being produced was used as a strong argument in the prisoner's behalf, his attorney arguing that most persons called from a saloon are taken by strange parties and ordered "to go along" would have acted in the same way.

The people with whom he had been living in York since his departure from Gettysburg say that he was liable to his good behavior. The arrest was the result of a post altercation.

OBJECTING TO SCHOOL.

DON'T DO BE MEAN

The Rome Committee on Education, a bible class of boys in the high school code, is preparing to hold entire sessions in order to advance the line of work. This week the code has not received the attention necessary in order that the committee may be properly fortified when the public hearings begin.

A new course of procedure has been adopted, which will utilize the services of the objectionable features and thereby save a prolonged delay on the floor when the code comes before the House. This new course is the appointment of all the members of the Legislature and those who the children of each district, and receive suggestions as to how improvement might be had.

When the school code was introduced in the last Legislature, all of the objections were buried in it, and as it made its appearance in the House, with the result that the code was voted down almost in its entirety. The code as reported out, most of the objection able features will be eliminated and it is believed will be more likely of early success.

40 NEW BOOKS;

35 PASSENGER CARS

The Western Maryland Railway Company placed an order for 40 new engines and 35 passenger cars, to be delivered as soon as possible. Five of the engines will be the regulation passenger size and will be used between Cumberland and Baltimore. The others will be the heavy freight engines similar, to those now employed on the mountain grades and will be used on them. At present the freight business is slack, but it is expected to pick up within the next ten days. The new equipment was decided upon at the request of Receivership Fahnestock, who past, who returned on Wednesday from a conference with the officials.

CORRECT WEATHER RULE?

The Feast of St. Medaus will come next Friday. Like Christian observance St. Medaus day has associated with it a certain weather rule. It is a German weather proverb to this effect: "If there is no rain on St. Medaus day, then the next will make one. If there is no rain day, then it will be fresh ice." The meaning of this is that should weather on the day, there will be a quick breaking up of the ice and an early opening of spring. This superstition was brought to Pennsylvania by the early German settlers and like the groundhog day belief has been handed from generation to generation.

ROOF GIVES DOWN

Miss Ray E. Brumbaugh was given a "shower" of pot pians, silver and chinaware at her home on Chambersburg Street Thursday evening by Mrs. Harry Bigham, Mrs. Harry Wright, Miss Grace Bigham and Miss Mary Wilson and the callings "on edict" who came bore with them refreshments and spent the evening.

ARREST FOLLOWS STREET FIGHT

Homer Ames Arrested on Information Made by Fred. Kepner, Outgrowth of Saturday Night Street Fracas.

Homer Ames, an employee at the Gettysburg Knitting Mills was arrested on Thursday afternoon by Constable John Slaughter charged with assault and assault and battery. He gave bail in the sum of $200 and his case comes at a hearing before Squire Meals on Monday morning at nine o'clock.

The warrant was issued on information made by Fred Kepner. The affair took place on Saturday night, the two men in front of the Hotel Gettysburg on Saturday evening. Just how it while is alleged to have been caused by the beligerent attitude of Ames at the Supply House and the subsequent necessity for Kepner to find work elsewhere. In the encounter in front of the hotel Kepner received considerably the worse end of the argument.

Ames has been employed several months there a month ago information was out laid until Thursday. The chance of anyone getting a warrant for assault to have been inflicted in Kepner' s mouth seems to be slim.

THE TOTHMAKERS ARE COMING

In the new combo opera "The Toymakers" by Charles Fulton Pilgin and Glen MacDonough, the Messrs. Stetzlers Bureau, lovers of the drama in Gettysburg and vicinity will have the opportunity to see and hear one of the most welcomed artists in the line of dramatization by Mr. Pilgin of the Pilgrim Players company. The new and already famous comic opera will be given at the Majestic Theatre, Tuesday afternoon and night, by the Pilgrim Players company. "The Toymakers" company, an organization which carries all the scenery for this production and all the costumes and stage effects are of the best and there are no expenses spared in the matter have been set to music by the well known composer, Charles E. Blake and John A. Bennett.

MRS. MARIA BISHOP

Mrs. Maria Bishop, widow of the late George Bishop, of Cumberland township, died at the home of her son-in-law, Christian Kuhn, on Friday, aged 84 years, 8 months and 21 days.

The following children survive, Jeremiah Bishop, of Alexandria, Ohio; Mrs. Christian Kuhn, of Cumberland twp.; Bishop, of McKnightstown; Mrs. Christian Kuhn, of Fairfield; Mrs. Ashbaugh, of Gettysburg.

Funeral Sunday at 1 p. m. from the home, services by the Rev. Ashbaugh, of Gettysburg. Rev. W. E. Fisch officiating.

COL. BEITLER RETURNS

Col. Lewis E. Beitler, wall known here, has declared his resignation as Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth to take effect on March 1. He will engage in private business in Philadelphia.

Colonel Beitler first went to Harrisburg as private secretary to Governor Hastings and is known all over the State. He was appointed one of the Governor's staff during the past two administrations.

Governor Stuart will appoint a successor. Colonel Beitler's name was dropped him off the list when the new staff was organized.

THIRTY SIX DOGS KILLED

A large number of dogs, William Wagaman, who lives five miles from Berwick, on account of rabies. Thirty-six killed, because it showed symptoms of rabies. Wagaman is losing many of his sheep which were killed in the territory between Mount Alto and New Baltimore, during the past few months.

COLUMBUS DAY CLOSED.

Governor Tener has approved the act of the Legislature making February 22 a holiday and making Columbus Day, October 12 a half holiday. Under the old law February 22 would have been a holiday.

GRANGE EVENTS

Feb. 17—Lecturer's hour. Dr. S. A. Persons, Bran Chapel.

Feb. 21—Musical play, Xavier Hall.

Feb. 22—D. A. R. tea. Mathews' restaurant.

Feb. 22—Methodist orders' free entertainment. Court House.

Feb. 22—P. H. C. S. entertainment, Weiter's Theatre.

Feb. 24—Lecturer's hour. Dr. G. D. Bie bop, Bran Chapel.

Mar. 2—Musical Recitals." Bran Chapel

Mar. 3—Senior High School play.

Mar. 10—Lecturer's hour. Prof. C. F. Saufley, Bran Chapel.

A CLEW

By ALLAN G. LAMOND

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We were working very hard at the factory, five of us getting away at two each midnight. One evening I went in alone to get my coat, and the foreman told me to go home and to bed. It was a Friday night, and I knew the owner of the sphere getting away till 11 o'clock on the next day. I was not overcome, but it on and, thereby hangs a tale. I had been working for my money in my pocket, thinking it was bit my, for had to feather their nests perfectly as it turns on the heels. Where had my employer got all them diabonsiderly?

Here a clew came to me. It might have stolen the bills and put them in his pocket. Suspicion is a very active and compulsive him. If so he would probably have them on him.

Turns as I was, I recognized the intention of the owner to follow me and appropriate the money to my own use. I had no intention of doing so, but it came to me that if the money had been stolen and I was found with it in my pocket I would have to go to state prison.

I decided quickly on the course and did it at once. I carried the coat into the counting room and handed it to the treasurer of the company. Mr. Thompson, as he was called, took the coat, counted the bills as it the same amount which I had received and handed it back to me. I put it on and went home, where it hung before. But sleep I am not to get that night. I had a newspaper sent me in it. There the owner was before me. He had come to bring it up and take position when he found that the money was missing. He was in the property. I don't what he has to say, but I was called to present and rely upon you to be watchful. These notes are marked, as from the office, and it is the of the most importance that they be recovered."

I went back with the coat, put it on its hook among a number of others and went home to bed. I was awakened in the morning by a constable with a warrant for my arrest charging me with the theft of the money. I was taken before the court, there being just room enough for the crowd.

An hour passed, and, though several cases came in for their hearing, mine took nine. Then there was a loss in the proceedings, and I was told that the fore that interval was broken I sat down. Presently I was called to the witness stand. I looked for my overcoat. Remaining on the hook. I was sworn and told to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth.

I was asked if I knew Mr. Thompson. I answered that I did. I was asked if I had ever seen him in possession of a large sum of money. I said that I had seen him with a roll of bills in his hand, but I did not know how much it amounted to.

"Did you ever see him count the money?" I was asked.

I said that I had seen him count it.

"Did you ever see him count it in your presence?"

I said that I had.

"Did you ever see him count it in the presence of the prisoner?"

I said that I had.

"Did you ever see him count it in the presence of the prisoner on the night of the 15th?"

I said that I had.

"Did you ever see him count it in the presence of the prisoner on the night of the 15th and after the prisoner had left the room?"

I said that I had.

"Did you ever see him count it in the presence of the prisoner on the night of the 15th and after the prisoner had left the room and after the prisoner had returned to the room?"

I said that I had.

Then I was told to stand down.

Geo. T. Hartwell,
Thompson & Christ, Asst. Secys. clerk.

Large Public Sale

ON WEDNESDAY, FEB. 22nd, 1911

The undersigned intending to go west will offer at public sale at his residence in Mt. Pleasant twp., on the W. D. Rhoads farm, three miles from station, 2 miles west of New Oxford, the following personal property, to wit:

12 Head of Horses and Mules, big ones! Nearly all broke, and whoever bids here will get a bargain. Some of these horses weigh nearly a ton and will handle it. Also one spring colt, coming 3 years old, sired by Dick Hoffman's Jack, and one spring colt, coming 2 years old, good size and work horse prospect. Also one brood mare, 7 years old with work anywhere, bay colt 1 year old, sired by Dick Hoffman's Jack. Also one brood mare, 6 years old, in foal to Dick Hoffman's Jack, a good one, and one spring colt, coming 1 year old, sired by Dick Hoffman's Jack, a dandy.

Cattle, 7 Head of Cows and Heifers, fresh and soon to be fresh, some with calves by their side. 2 cows will freshen in March, 1 cow will freshen in April, 1 cow will freshen in May, 2 cows will freshen in June, 1 cow will freshen in July, 1 cow will freshen in August, 1 cow will freshen in September, 1 cow will freshen in October, 1 cow will freshen in November, 1 cow will freshen in December, 2 cows will freshen in January, 2 cows will freshen in February, 1 cow will freshen in March, 1 cow will freshen in April, 1 cow will freshen in May, 1 cow